

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Application No.: 10/626,228	§	Examiner: Tse, Young Toi
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Filed: July 24, 2003	§	Group/Art Unit: 2611
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Inventor(s):	§	Atty. Dkt. No: 5681-03800
Smith, et al.	§	
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Title: SOURCE	§	
SYNCHRONOUS I/O BUS	§	
RETIMER	§	
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF**  
**OCTOBER 6, 2006**

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of October 6, 2006, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.